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Dear Examiner Jackson:

In response to the Office Action mailed June 3, 2004, please enter the following amendments to the claims in the subject case. No amendment is made to the specification and drawings.